

NEWS OF KANSAS.

Packing House Employees at Kansas City Form a Union.

The Strange Antics of a Fort Scott Crazy Man.

OTHER STATE NEWS.

Thirteen-Year-Old Boy Drowned at Wichita.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 11.—A meeting of packing house employees was held in the chamber of commerce building, at which all classes of labor in the packing houses of the two cities were represented. A temporary organization was effected by the election of a president and secretary. The organization will operate under a charter from the American Federation of Labor, and will be called the Packing House employees' union of Kansas City, Kansas.

It was stated by one of the members, that the new union has no connection whatever with the packing house troubles in Omaha or elsewhere. Its organization was projected, he said, before there was anything of trouble there.

The union will be open to all classes of packing house labor, both skilled and unskilled. It is merely a local affair at present, but efforts will be made to organize all packing house employees in the country.

FRANKLIN'S QUEER JOURNEY.

The Missing President of the Kansas City Packing Company Returns Home.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 11.—George Pfanzagl, the missing president of the Pfanzagl Packing company, has returned home. His disappearance a week ago Monday, created a big sensation. He was sick when he reached home and, after greeting his wife and children, became unconscious and remained in that condition for several hours. When friends called they were not recognized, but were called "doctor." He gave a brief story of his disappearance to his wife before he became unconscious.

He stated that on the day he was missed he went to the stock yards to buy cattle for the firm, and while there his mind became unbalanced and when he came to he was in a Denver hospital. After being discharged from there he went to Colorado Springs, where he was seen by Sheriff Peterson. A letter to his wife from that place stated that he was going from Cripple Creek to buy a gold mine. This was the last heard of him until his arrival home.

WANTS INTO REFORM SCHOOL.

A Boy Who Had Just Got Out Sole a Horse.

WICHITA, Aug. 11.—Rocky Wiley arrived from Wellington yesterday on another man's horse. A youth of 12, who was sent to the reform school from here at one time for a two year's term. He has served his time and his parents have moved to Wellington. Seized with a desire to visit an old reform schoolmate who lives on South Fifth avenue, he stole a horse and made the journey overland. When he arrived there he traded the stolen horse to a boy for an old worthless sea-bitten gray.

Rocky was arrested at the house of his friend and took a policeman to where the old horse was on the west side.

WICHITA'S SHALLOW WELLS.

They Are Responsible for the Prevalence of Typhoid Fever There.

WICHITA, Aug. 11.—The board of health has recommended that wells in this city be sunk deeper. The board thinks that the prevalence of typhoid fever is due to shallow wells. A prominent member of the board says: "The city must do something in the line of taking control of the wells. A great majority of the wells of this city are only from eight to fifteen feet deep. We must have them thirty feet deep. At thirty feet water can be struck in abundant quantities and of a quality that has no superior in America for healthfulness. This has been demonstrated by various tests. The water in the shallow well is apparently all right. It is clear and nice but it is full of the invisible germs of disease. This fact has also been thoroughly demonstrated by a scientific test. The death of a prominent young lady in this city a few days ago is attributed directly to drinking water from a shallow well."

SOLD MORTGAGED PROPERTY.

A Hays City Man Recovers His Horses After a Long Chase.

HAYS CITY, Aug. 11.—Frank Stout has just returned home from Oklahoma, where he has been in pursuit of a family who had mortgaged twenty head of horses to the Hays City bank and skipped out, driving the horses before them. Mr. Stout had the twenty with him. The party leaving Hays with the horses had traded three of them, but in each particular Mr. Stout had traced the horses traded back and now has the identical twenty the party left Hays with about two weeks ago.

The man who took them succeeded in making his escape good, but his wife was taken back to Hays.

TO MAKE WINDMILLS.

A Manufacturing Company With That Object Started at Salina.

SALINA, Aug. 11.—The Kouns Manufacturing company recently chartered and incorporated under the laws of the state for the manufacture of the latest improved Kouns windmills, towers, troughs, pumps and accessories is a new Salina industry.

The new company is composed of the following well-known citizens of Salina: President, Wesley Kouns; vice-president, D. A. VanTrine; secretary, Dr. Tuttle; treasurer, T. D. Fitzpatrick, and Attorney T. F. Garver.

GREENBACKS IN QUEER PLACES.

Nearly Seven Hundred Dollars Hidden by a Crazy Man.

FR. SCOTT, Aug. 11.—Col. I. N. Ury, the guardian of the well known Dr. Joseph Mills, who recently went insane, while rummaging in an old desk in the Mills building found an old billbook containing a large amount of money in greenbacks. Further search disclosed another large amount in an envelope and a third sum was found wrapped in an old newspaper, tucked back in the drawer.

When taken to the probate court room

to be counted the total amount was found to be \$885. This money has been missing but no one knew where the eccentric doctor could have hidden it.

Col. Ury has decided to send the doctor to a private asylum at Kansas City where he will receive more care than it is possible to procure for him here.

Fell of the Bridge and Drowned.

WICHITA, Aug. 11.—Yesterday a 13-year-old colored boy named Ernest McDonald, whose parents reside at 925 Wichita street, fell into the Little river and was drowned. The little boy was sitting on a cross beam of the Thirteenth street bridge, when he was apparently overcome by the heat and toppled off into six feet of water.

Bill Hackney Coming Home.

WISFIELD, Aug. 11.—W. P. Hackney, who has been sightseeing in Scotland for the past month, will arrive in New York, August 18, and will return home September 1.

Died From His Wounds.

WICHITA, Aug. 11.—Willard Stark, the man who was assaulted with a coupling pin at the Oak street depot the other night, is dead. The doctors tried to save his life by performing an operation to raise the bone of the brain and relieve the fatal pressure, but it did no good.

Wichita Hotel Changes Hands.

WICHITA, Aug. 11.—The Manhattan hotel changed hands yesterday. Fred Menocourt retiring from the hotel business, and E. L. Eaton, proprietor of the Metropole, taking his place. On Monday, after breakfast, the new management will take hold of the house and it will hereafter be run on the American plan.

Surveyed the Kaw Valley.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 11.—A geological survey of the Kaw river valley at this point has been begun by Rev. Mr. John Bennett and his assistants. The work is conducted under the instruction of the State University at Lawrence, and is to locate the different strata of rock and kinds of clay and gravel. Rev. Mr. Bennett and his corps will spend about two weeks in this county and may locate the valuable ores that are supposed to underlie this vicinity.

Organized as a National Bank.

EL DORADO, Aug. 11.—The Merchants' bank of this place will at once organize as a national bank, with \$50,000 capital, and with a number of strong men as stockholders. H. H. Gardner, formerly of the Exchange National bank, will be assistant cashier.

Will Sell His Raining Secret.

WICHITA, Aug. 11.—It is said that George Matthews has completed a deal with one of the counties of Missouri, not far from St. Louis, to sell his raining secret. The conditions of the alleged sale are that he is to get \$500 and a good and valid bond of \$5,000 that the secret shall not be given out for five years or used outside of the county purchasing it.

THE SENATE ADJOURNS.

Visitors Disappointed and Hill Set Back.—Alabama Investigation.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—This senate chamber was the storm center of the tariff conflict today. Early in the day larger crowds thronged the lobby leading to the senate galleries, and struggled for points of vantage for the expected debate on Senator Hill's resolution directing the senate tariff conference to report on the situation. All the public galleries were filled, and the crowd overflowed into the corridors outside.

At 12:30 Senator Hill arose and asked that his resolution introduced yesterday be considered. He gave way, however, to Senator Chandler, who asked that the resolution for an investigation of the alleged irregularities in the recent Alabama election go over until next Monday. Mr. Chandler spoke sarcastically of Alabama election methods. Senator Pugh (Dem. Alabama) said the investigation would be futile, as the returns were wholly within the jurisdiction of the state authorities.

Senator Gray (Dem.) objected to the resolution going over on the ground that it would unduly give prominence to the subject matter of the investigation.

Mr. Chandler obtained leave to withdraw the resolution and immediately re-offered it, which carries it over, the clerk then read the Hill resolution of the tariff conference.

Mr. Cockrell moved to go into executive session. The motion prevailed, and at 2:01 p. m. the senate went into executive session. The vote stood a tie—35 to 35. Vice President Stevenson voted aye. Cockrell's motion was made to gain time, and was in the interest of the tariff bill and in opposition to Hill.

The senate adjourned at 2:12 p. m., to the great disappointment of the crowd, and a breathing spell over Sunday is thus given the democrats in which to quietly canvass the tariff situation.

The Rocky Bicycle Riders.

GIBSON, Aug. 11.—The Washington-Deaver relay bicycle race passed Gibson at 10:25 o'clock.

Marshall's band will give their usual concert at Garfield park Sunday afternoon.

Tours in the Rocky Mountains.

The "Scenic Line of the World," the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, offers to tourists in Colorado, Utah and New Mexico the choicest resorts, and to the transcontinental traveler the grandest scenery. Double daily train service with through Pullman sleepers and tourists' cars between Denver and San Francisco and Los Angeles. For descriptive pamphlets address S. A. Moore, G. P. A., Denver, Col.

UNION PACIFIC ROUTE.

Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo \$15 for the Round Trip.

Tickets on sale August 10th and 11th, good returning August 19, 25 and September 13, 1894. For all information call at 323 Kansas ave.

A. M. FULLER, City Agent.

Pittsburg, Pa. and Return.

SANTA FE ROUTE.

For National Reunion G. A. R. Tickets sold September 7 and 8, good to return until September 23, at \$21.50 for the round trip.

The Dispatch Band will give a grand concert at Vinewood tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Admission five cents.

The coolest place in the city for a lunch or good dinner is at Whitekey's, 730 Kansas avenue.

TOPEKANS IN A SCANDAL.

Mrs. A. E. Green Has Her Husband and Miss Lilly Kuhn Arrested.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Aug. 11.—A. E. Green and Miss Lilly Kuhn were arrested here last night on the charge of improper relations.

Green is a traveling man and is well known in all the larger cities of the state. Five years ago he lived in Topeka, Kansas, where he was married, having a wife and five children. At the time he was covering Kansas territory he met a petite brunette at Salina, Miss Lilly Kuhn. After a time Green deserted his wife and family and came to Cedar Rapids, bringing with him Miss Kuhn, whom he introduced as his wife. They moved in good society, were enthusiastic cyclists and attracted considerable attention. Mrs. Green arrived from Topeka, and after a consultation with the police, swore out a warrant charging her husband and Miss Kuhn with improper relations. They are now in jail.

A. E. Green was formerly proprietor of the place known as the Poppedick house on East Sixth street and sold out about five years ago.

Ella Green, the well known traveling woman for a St. Louis paint house, is his sister, and when he went out of the hotel business she persuaded him to become a drummer for the same house she travels for.

He lived with his family at 1814 West Tenth street but after he went on the road his visits to his home became less and less frequent. He was here last some time last winter. The family still live at the same place. It consists of Mrs. Green and four children—the eldest daughter being employed in the Santa Fe office. The youngest is a boy about about 10 years old.

The family is respectable and well known in the western part of the city, but although her neighbors knew that Mrs. Green was in trouble she never talked to anyone about it.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

West & Taux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Waldring, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

THE JUDGE'S CARRIAGE.

The Marshal Gets It Paid for as Transportation of Prisoners.

Attorney General Olney tells the following story about Justice Gray of the United States supreme court. Judge Gray prefers riding to walking and a carriage or cab to a street car. When he first held court in Boston, he asked the United States marshal to provide him with a carriage to transport him from his hotel to the court and back to the hotel after the day's session. The marshal was commendably prompt and cheerful in complying with the wishes of the distinguished jurist. From Boston Judge Gray went to Providence to hold court. He asked the United States marshal there to provide him with a carriage to carry him back and forth. The marshal said he could not do so without paying for the vehicle out of his own pocket.

"But the marshal at Boston furnished me with a carriage, and had no trouble with his accounts," said Judge Gray.

"I don't see how he did it," protested the Providence marshal. "I know if I tried it that item in my accounts would be disallowed."

"Very well," said Judge Gray. "Of course, I don't want you to pay for my carriage," and he paid it himself, and the incident closed so far as he was concerned.

Not so with the Providence marshal. He wrote to the Boston marshal and asked him how he had managed to have his charge for a carriage for Judge Gray's use between the hotel and the courthouse allowed by the department here.

"Easy enough," wrote the Boston man in reply. "It's plain," he continued, "that you've not been marshal long. I provided Judge Gray with the carriage, and my accounts went through the department without any trouble. You see, I put the item of the judge's carriage under the head of 'care and transportation of prisoners.'"

Gounod's Lesson in Modesty.

Gounod, the great musician who died a few months ago, was once waited upon by a young poet anxious for guidance in some work on which he was engaged at the time. Advice was generously given, and then, struck perhaps by his friend's demeanor, Gounod, told him that as he grew in his art he could judge of the masters of the past as he (Gounod) now judged of the famous composers of former days. "At your age," Gounod proceeded, "I used to say 'I, at 33 I said 'I and Mozart'; at 40 'Mozart and I.' Now I say 'Mozart.'"

A Beautiful Bridge.

One of the finest bridges in Europe is now being constructed across the Danube at Cernavoda, Roumania, by French engineers. It has a length of 2400 feet, divided into five bays. Its height is 103 feet to the roadway, and its highest point is 123 feet above high water. It is of steel, and is supported on thirty piers. The effect is said to be "one of elegance and lightness, the lines standing out like delicate lacework against the sky."

THE STATE JOURNAL'S Want and Miscellaneous columns reach each working day in the week more than twice as many Topeka people as can be reached through any other paper. This is a fact.

AFTER THE PULLMAN CO.

Attorney General of Illinois Files a Petition to Take Away Its Charter.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 11.—The Pullman Palace Car company charter is apparently in peril. The attorney general of Illinois at noon today filed a petition asking that the charter be declared void on the grounds that its provisions have been violated. The petition sets forth that the charter as granted allowed the company to purchase, control and convey such property as was necessary to successful prosecution of their business.

The corporation has far exceeded its privileges, the document declares, owing to a vast amount of real estate in the town of Pullman and vicinity which is in no wise necessary to the business. The petition declares that the company has practically usurped the powers of municipality, owning numerous business blocks, residences and factory sites, controlling the stock in other corporations, and furnish power to other manufacturing factories.

OFF FOR MERIDEN.

Two Hundred Republicans Go Up to Attend the Rally.

Almost two hundred Topeka took advantage of the excursion to Meriden to hear Ben. Clover tell why he left the Populist party and to listen to the speeches made by Ed. Hoch and Mrs. Thurston.

They went on a special train over the Santa Fe and will come back this evening about supper time. The train consisted of a baggage car and three coaches, and left at half past nine o'clock. The fare for the round trip was forty cents.

MAY PLAY BALL SUNDAY.

An Injunction Against the Chicago Baseball Club Dissolved.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Judge Horton today granted an injunction restraining the Chicago league ball team from playing baseball on Sunday. The injunction was asked by the International Sunday Observance league.

After lengthy arguments by attorneys, the court dissolved the injunction this afternoon and the league game will be played tomorrow.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT.

Furnished by the Associated Press to the State Journal.

CHICAGO, Aug. 11.—Grains opened easier today on account of more or less heavy showers throughout most of the corn belt outside of Kansas, but the government crop report made public after the close of the board yesterday was bullish and cables were firm, and these factors together with buying orders from the outside caused the markets to turn firm. But business was light owing to an indisposition to carry trades over Sunday in view of the possibilities of the weather in the meantime and fluctuations were confined to narrow limits.

September wheat opened at 56 3/4, the later yesterday's closing prices, sold at 56 1/2, advanced to 56 3/4 and fluctuated between 56 1/2 and 56 3/4.

September corn started at 55 1/2 against 55 1/4 at the close yesterday, sold off to 54 1/2, up to 55 1/2, off to 55 and then at 55 1/2, up started 5 1/2 lower at 53, receded to 52 1/2, rallied to 53 1/2, off to 52 1/2 and back to 53.

September oats sold between 31 1/2 and 31 3/4, against 31 1/2 at the close yesterday.

Provisions were strong on the theory that they are not on a parity with the advanced price of corn. The chief trading in pork was in the January future, which advanced from \$13.42 1/2 the closing price yesterday to \$13.50, easing off to \$13.37 1/2.

September lard showed an advance of 5 cents at one time, but receded 7 1/2.

September ribs gained 12 1/2 but lost 5c at 12.

In the later trading grains were quite weak. September wheat sold down to 53 1/2 and September wheat 53 1/2.

Receipts—Wheat 423,091 bu.; corn 91,659; oats 224,975.

Shipments—Wheat, 12,020 bu.; corn, 188,095; oats, 258,393.

WHEAT—Lower. August 54; September 55 1/2; December 59.

CORN—Steady. August, 53 1/2; September 54; October 53 1/2.

OATS—Lower. August, 30 1/2; May 30 1/2.

PORK—Higher. September, \$13.35; January \$13.70.

LARD—Higher. September, \$7.44 1/2; January, \$7.50.

RIBS—Firm. September, \$7.02 1/2; January \$7.00.

RYE—Dull. 48c.

BARLEY—Steady 55.

FLAXSEED—Quiet. \$1.28.

TIMOTHY SEED—Firm. \$5.00 to \$5.10.

HOGS—Receipts for today 18,000; official yesterday 34,500; shipments yesterday 2,500; left over about 12,000; quality rather poor. Market fairly active; good lots strong and common weak. General market steady. Sales ranged at \$4.80 to \$5.25 for light; \$4.55 to \$4.85 for rough packing; \$4.80 to \$5.30 for mixed; \$5.00 to \$5.35 for select; August, 53 1/2; September 54; October 53 1/2.

CATTLE—Receipts for today, 1,500; receipts yesterday 9,100; shipments yesterday 4,242. Market slow but steady. Good to best grades were on a daily firm; others steady at yesterday's quotations.

SHEEP—Receipts today 1,500; receipts yesterday 4,250; shipments yesterday 50. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY MARKET.

Cattle—Receipts 4,500; shipments 3,500. Market steady to strong. Texas steers \$1.50 to \$2.00; beef steers, \$2.30 to \$2.40; native cows, \$1.50 to \$2.00; stockers and feeders, \$1.50 to \$2.00.

Hogs—Receipts 8,300; shipments 3,500. Market strong to 10 cents higher. Bulk of sales, \$4.90 to \$5.05; heavies \$4.95 to \$5.20; packers, \$5.00 to \$5.20; mixed, \$4.85 to \$5.05; lights, \$4.95 to \$5.05; pigs, \$4.50 to \$4.75.

SHAM AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,000; shipments 400. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY, August 11.—WHEAT—1c 1/2 cent lower. No. 2 hard 48 1/2c; No. 3 hard, 47 1/2c; No. 2 red 48c; No. 8 red, 47c; rejected, 43c.

CORN—1c 1/2 lower. No. 2 mixed, 52 1/2c; No. 2 white, 52 1/2c; No. 2 mixed, 51 1/2c; No. 2 white, 51 1/2c.

RYE—Firm. No. 2, 52c.

FLAX SEED—Steady. \$1.17 to \$1.19.

BRAN—Steady. 66 to 68c.

HAY—Firm. Timothy, \$8.00 to \$8.50; prairie, \$6.75 to \$8.00.

BUTTER—Firm. Creamery, 16 to 20c; dairy, 14 to 16c.

EGGS—Firm at 9c.

The Topeka Drug Co. in opera house.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

NORTH TOPEKA.

Items of Interest from the North Side of the river.

L. C. Betts was in from Menoken today.

Miss Maggie Collis is spending a few days in the country.

Mrs. J. H. Stuart, of Drexel, Mo., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hale.

Mrs. C. A. Herring has returned from a week's visit among relatives at Perry and Lawrence.

A. W. Lacey departed today for the mountains to join Mrs. Lacey, who has been at Manitou some weeks.

Walter Peck, who has been night clerk at the Union Pacific, has accepted a similar position at the National.

Charles Hylt, with his wife, has been visiting his brother, John Hylt, returned today to his home in Essex, Ia.

There was a match game of base ball between the Kossville and Menoken clubs at the grounds of the latter yesterday.

Ed Hoch, of Marion, stopped at the Union Pacific last night on his way to Meriden, where he is billed to speak today.

S. A. Bedwell, manager of the insane asylum and hospital on this side, left today for a short visit to Colorado, for the benefit of his health.

Go to Will Griffith's for the best tin, galvanized iron and pump work.

Monarch gasoline stoves at Henry's.

Go to Henry's for roofing and spouting.

A full leather extension top survey for \$100, at Lukens Bros., North Topeka.

"Our New Delight" and all Dangler stoves at H. M. Climes.

W. C. Sly has moved his millinery two doors south of the old stand, and is closing out summer millinery at cost—323 North Kansas avenue.

Frank Hennessey, an insane young man from Jewell county, was brought to the Bedwell asylum last night for treatment. His insanity is due to a sunstroke.

S. T. Cromwell, who is said to be the only Democrat in Menoken township, will leave Monday for a visit to his old home in Indiana. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Cromwell.

The pastor having returned there will be services both morning and evening at the Congregational church. The theme at 11 a. m. will be "Tarrying by the Staff." At 8 p. m. the pastor will speak of his experiences at his first Christian Endeavor national convention.

Rev. W. E. Byers has returned from a stay of a month at Chambersburg, Pa., and the sanitarium at Clifton Springs, N. Y. He is much improved in health. He started home before the notice arrived that he had been granted an extension of a month on his vacation.

Rev. Wm. J. Osborne, of Kansas City, Kan., will preach Rev. J. R. Mason's pulpit at the Kansas Avenue M. E. church at 11 o'clock tomorrow. The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will conduct the evening services. Rev. Mr. Osborne will preach at Linn Creek in the evening.

HIS GOODS ARRIVE HERE.

Mr. Appleyard's Household Furnishings Reach the City Today.